

Answer on Question #58099-Physics-Other

14 A force of $2\vec{i} + 7\vec{j}$ N acts on a body of mass 5kg for 10 seconds. The body was initially moving with constant velocity of $\vec{i} - 2\vec{j}$ m/s. Find the final velocity of the body in m/s, in vector form.

$$5\vec{i} + 12\vec{j}$$

$$12\vec{i} - 5\vec{j}$$

$$10\vec{i} - 7\vec{j}$$

$$7\vec{i} + 10\vec{j}$$

Solution

The acceleration vector is

$$\vec{a} = \frac{\vec{F}}{m} = \frac{(2\vec{i} + 7\vec{j})}{5} \frac{m}{s^2}.$$

The final velocity of the body is

$$\vec{v}_f = \vec{v}_i + \vec{a}t = \vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \left(\frac{(2\vec{i} + 7\vec{j})}{5}\right)10 = (5\vec{i} + 12\vec{j}) \frac{m}{s}.$$

Answer: $5\vec{i} + 12\vec{j}$.

15 The exhaust gas of a rocket is expelled at the rate of 1300 kg/s, at the velocity of 50 000 m/s. Find the thrust on the rocket in newtons

$$6.5 \times 10^7$$

$$3.5 \times 10^7$$

$$7.6 \times 10^7$$

$$5.7 \times 10^7$$

Solution

The thrust on the rocket is

$$F = \frac{dm}{dt}v = 1300 \frac{\text{kg}}{\text{s}} \cdot 50\,000 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} = 6.5 \cdot 10^7 N.$$

Answer: 6.5×10^7 .

16 Sand drops at the rate of 2000 kg/min. from the bottom of a hopper onto a belt conveyor moving horizontally at 250 m/min. Determine the force needed to drive the conveyor, neglecting friction.

$$500 \text{ N}$$

$$800 \text{ N}$$

139 N

152 N

Solution

$$F = \frac{dm}{dt} v = 2000 \frac{\text{kg}}{\text{min}} \frac{\text{min}}{60 \text{ s}} \cdot 250 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{min}} \frac{\text{min}}{60 \text{ s}} = 139 \text{ N}.$$

Answer: 139 N.